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1. During the first six months of 1947, the State Nitrogen Compounds Plant at Chorzow (Q51/Y57), near Katowice, produced the following:

Nitrogen	22,077 tons
Nitrogen compounds	57,649 "
Saltpeter	28,306 "
"Wapno-Amon" (calcium sub-nitrate?)	3,307 "
Nitrate of soda (agricultural)	603 "

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This plant, which now employs 4,136 workers, also produced during July 2,555 tons of commercial carbide, 846 cu. m. of oxygen and 235 tons of liquid oxygen.

2. About the middle of August a new chlorine plant was put into operation at the State Nitrogen Compounds Factory at Moscice. It is planned to produce 75 tons of chlorine per month until the end of 1947, and then to double the production.

Comment: Mosciska [Przemysly] is probably meant here.)

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3. The July production of non-ferrous metals, according to the Union of Non-Ferrous Metal Industries, was as follows:

Zinc ore	70,433 tons
Pyrites	1,503 "
Zinc concentrates	11,409 "
Roasting blend	8,685 "
Sulphuric acid	7,955 "
Sulphur	635 "
Zinc	6,444 "
Zinc tin	2,819 "
Refined lead	1,045 "
Refined cadmium	12.3 "

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